

# e-MS Experts' Summit Season 2020

## Speaker's Bio

### **Mike P. Wattjes** (Hannover, Germany)

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Dr Wattjes was appointed Professor of Neuroradiology in the Department of Neuroradiology, Hannover Medical School, Hannover, Germany in 2019, after starting in a new senior staff position there in 2017.

Prior to this he was a Clinical Fellow in Neuroradiology and was appointed as a Senior Staff Radiologist in 2009 at the MS and Alzheimer Center, VU University Medical Center, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, where he had previously conducted his Research Fellowship (supported by the European Society of Neuroradiology Exchange Programme).

After an internship in 2001, at Department of Neurology, University Hospital Bonn, Bonn, Germany, he began his radiology residency a year later in the Department of Radiology, researching high field MRI applications in neuroradiology, focussing on neuroinflammatory diseases, such as MS. Prior to this, he studied Medicine at Hannover Medical School, Hannover, Germany.

His primary research interests are neuroinflammatory and neurodegenerative diseases and neuro-oncology. He is a reviewer for several high-impact journals and institutions, including the Medical Research Council, UK, and the Federal Ministry of Research, Germany.